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Aug 26, 1880—d&wtf

NIAGARA FALLS.

How Five Millions of the Geneva Award May be Well Expended.

American Queen.

Twenty years ago Niagara Falls, perhaps, attracted more tourists than any other watering place, and, though it cannot now be called second class, it certainly belongs to the rear rank of the first class summer resorts. Perhaps the reason of this may be found in the fact that Niagara has not kept up with the age in the completeness and luxury of its hotel appointments. All the leading great resorts of the east—Saratoga, Newport, Long Branch, Cape May, etc., have grown more splendid every year, and such places as Coney Island, Rockaway and Long Beach are continually adding fresh attractions to the embarrassment of riches, which perplexes the mind of the summer pilgrim. So far as we can learn, Niagara has remained stationary, and its caterers for the pleasures of tourists have not thought it worth while to compete with the energy of their rivals in other places. There is just a distant probability, though, of Niagara being made one of the most splendid resorts in the world. As is well known, there remains about $5,000,000 of the Geneva award unappropriated. The objects for which that award was made have been met, and, by all the laws of unwritten national ethics, that remainder belongs, in part, to Great Britain. It has been suggested by the London Times and other English journals, that this vast amount be expended on Niagara Falls, including both sides of this great world's wonder, and that it be made a magnificent national park. This, if done, would result in one of the most splendid watering places in the world, for a vast amount of capital would be drawn then to the spot for the purpose of extending and perfecting the hotel accommodations. Niagara Falls, thus renovated as a summer resort, would become, in a double sense, one of the world's wonders, and probably attract the ultra-fashionable society of both Great Britian and America.

He Has Flopped.

From the Rochester Democrat.

George W. Julian is now a very enthusiastic advocate of the Solid South, but it isn't many years since he said from his place in Congress: "If I were President of the United States I would mass the armies of the Union, march them through every seceding State from the Potomac to the gulf, burn, pillage, and devastate the country, and write death upon the earth and paint hell upon the sky."

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june8-dtf

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Feb. 28—dtf

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Aug. 28, 1880—d&wtf The BOSS CLOTHIER.

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—AT—

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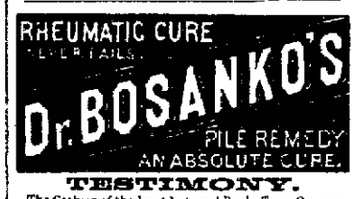
Aug 10—dtf



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Troy, O December 30, 1879

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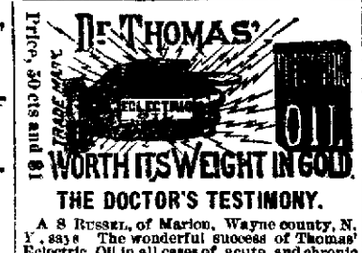

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July 19—d6w

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of DAVID S. ALLEN, Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of David S Allen, deceased, to present the same or adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the court-house, in the city of Decatur, on the second Monday of October, A. D. 1880, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Aug. 26th, A. D 1880.

AMANDA D. ALLEN, Administratrix

Aug 27—d3w w2t

Petition for Sale of Real Estate.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County.

In the county court to the October term, A. D. 1880.

Jacob G. Kizer, administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Elizabeth Dingman, deceased, vs. Andrew Dingman Kate M Chambers, William R Dingman, Thomas E Dingman, Hellen E Barton and Walter B Chambers—Petition for sale of real estate.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the office of the clerk of the county court of said Macon county by Jacob G. Kizer, administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Elizabeth Dingman, deceased, praying for the sale of the following described real estate situate in said Macon county, to-wit Lots numbered five (5) and six (6), in block number one (1), in Brock's Addition to Niantic, for the payment of the debts of said estate, wherein said Andrew Dingman, Kate M Chambers, William R Dingman, Thomas E. Dingman, Hellen E Barton and Walter B. Chambers are made parties defendant And affidavit having been filed in the office of the clerk of said county court, whereon said cause is now pending, that the said Thomas E. Dingman and Andrew Dingman are non residents of the State of Illinois, you the said Thomas E Dingman and Andrew Dingman are hereby notified that summons has been issued in said cause returnable to the October term, A D 1880, of said county court to be held at the court house on the third Monday in the month of October, A D 1880 in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon Now, unless you shall be and appear before the said court on the first day of said October term thereof, and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, a decree will be rendered in accordance therewith and the said above described property ordered to be sold

H W WAGGONER, Clerk

L A BUCKINGHAM, Attorney for Petitioner

Sept 2, 1880 d1w

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Have bought the entire stock of the late firm of GLUCKSPIECK & SCHLUSS of New York, I am enabled to sell anything in the line of

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Musical Merchandise,

AT FIGURES BELOW THE LOWEST.

I bought these goods at figures that enable me to sell them at wholesale prices and still make a reasonable profit, and will give my customers the benefit of my bargain. I wish to close out enough of this stock to meet the last payment on them October 1st.

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Aug 12—d&wtf **H. POST.**

NOTICE.

A. C Stevens and W. B. Davison, having formed a co-partnership under the firm name of

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Situations furnished, help supplied, male or female

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Aug. 19—dtf STEVENS & DAVISON.

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Aug. 5—d&wtf

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I will sell my farm of 160 acres, watered by five wells and a branch, at a bargain, 120 acres under plow, 30 acres in fine timber; two-story dwelling house with 6 rooms, good cellar lined with brick, barn and outhouses; good well and cistern, farm well tiled, and fences in good shape two bearing orchards, grapes, and small fruits in abundance, within half mile of Methodist church and one mile of school-house, located in one of the best neighborhoods in the county For further information address **JOSIAH W. KYLE**

Aug 27—d&wtw Box 21, Argenta, Ill

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THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT. 9, 1880.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

NATIONAL TICKET.

For President,
JAMES A. GARFIELD,
of Ohio.
For Vice President,
CHESTER A. ARTHUR,
of New York.

STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
SHELBY M. CULLOM,
of Sangamon.
For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN M. HAMILTON,
of McLean.
For Secretary of State,
HENRY D. DEMENT,
of Lee.
For Auditor of Public Accounts,
CHARLES P. SWIGERT,
of Kankakee.
For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
of Cook.
For Attorney General,
JAMES McCARTNEY,
of Wayne.

For Congress—11th District,
JOSEPH G CANNON,
of Vermilion county.
For Member of the State Board of Equalization, 14th Congressional District,
CHARLES F. EMERY,
of Macon county.

For Representatives,
JASON ROGERS, of Macon county.
L. LUDINGTON, of DeWitt county.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Circuit Clerk,
EDMISTON McCLELLAN.
For State's Attorney,
WILLIAM C JOHNS
For Sheriff,
WILLIAM W. FOSTER.
For Coroner,
JAMES HOLLINGER.

OUR neighbor of the old square has not heard from Vermont.

THEY seem to have had "a full vote, a free ballot and a fair count" in Vermont on Tuesday.

THE news from Vermont continues to grow better and better. The *Review* will probably hear of it in a few days, and make it public.

A Waterville, Maine, paper says that one Jacob M. Crooker, of that place, who has voted the Democratic ticket for forty-nine years, declares his purpose of voting for Garfield and Arthur. "The woods is full of them."

AN old soldier—and from Pennsylvania, too—whose letter to the Toledo *Blade* we publish in another column, tells why he cannot vote for Hancock. There are some soldiers in Decatur who could give the same reasons. They are men whose lives were wrecked at Libby and Andersonville by the men who make the south solid, and want Hancock for president.

IF the Democrats of Decatur were to follow the advice of the editor of the *Review*, and read no paper but his, they would never know when an election is held in a northern state, but keep pretty well posted about Alabama and Arkansas, and the solid south generally. That sheet has never a word to say this morning about any election in Vermont, but it grows a regular Bull Run drow over Arkansas.

OUR neighbor of the Democratic persuasion takes frequent opportunity to speak in disrespectful terms of Gen. Weaver, the Greenback nominee for president, the chief objection to him being the fact that he refuses to enter into an alliance with the Democratic party, for its benefit and advantage. The only use our neighbor has ever had for the Greenback party has been to manipulate it as a sort of tender to the Democracy, so to speak—a kind of machine to assist in electing Democrats to office. When our neighbor was a candidate, and could not hope to be elected except through the aid of votes obtained from outside of his party, he could be very sweet on the Greenbackers. But after having been twice elected by the aid of such subterfuges, and having been unable to conceal his Democracy any longer, he now finds no further use for the Greenbackers, and amuses himself by making them the objects of his silly ridicule. The Greenbackers will not be slow in estimating the political value of the wily politician who has so wantonly betrayed their confidence.

What's His Name?

Chicago Inter-Ocean.

We have heard a great deal about the Republican party leaving Garfield, and rushing over to Hancock. Let's see, there's Forney, he's one; and Butler, he's two; and Mullet, he's three, and what's the other gentleman's name?

HOSE REEL with 50 feet three-ply Standard Hydrant Hose, Hose Nozzle and Coupling, complete, for $10 00, at
H MUELLER & Co.'s,
May 8—d3mo East Main street.

A FEW days since Judge Jere Black returned from Europe. A representative of the Philadelphia *Press* sought him at his stopping place and interviewed him. Judge Black said:

I have no desire to add anything to my published letter to Blaine. What I said then of him was true, and is true. With regard to the Credit Mobilier transaction I have said, and always will say, that I believe that Gen. Garfield told me the truth about it. He would not do anything else. I watched the developments of the investigation, and I saw nothing in that to alter my opinion. I will tell you General Garfield's hands were clean in that transaction.

Why He Will Not Vote for His Old Commander.

To the Editor of the Toledo Blade,

I was once for Gen. Hancock, but now I am for Garfield. I am one of the Pennsylvania soldiers that the Democrats count on for Hancock, but if all old soldiers look at it as I do he won't get a vote from Union soldiers.

Gen. Hancock was a good, brave soldier. I was under him during his commanding the Second Corps, up to the 18th of June, 1864, when I was taken prisoner with several hundred others, on a charge at Petersburg, Va. After that I was with Gen. Winder and old Capt. Wirz, at Andersonville, Ga., the hell-hole of the South.

And now to think the brave General I thought so much of, is leading or being led by those that starved the union prisoners to death by the thousands is too much. I dare not, and will not vote for him. I know by experience, of the starvation at Andersonville. Our troop of prisoners reached Andersonville on June 24, 1864. I was a prisoner until the war closed.

Don't go it blind comrades. Close up your ranks, boys; take a steady aim and fire your votes for a Union General—one who was for the Union, and is yet. There are other soldiers here who were under Hancock in the army but will not vote for him.

I. CARKHUFF,
Co. H. 145th Penn, Vol. Inft.
Lamont, Mich., Aug. 29.

GENERAL STEWART L. WOODFORD, of New York, made a rousing speech recently, at Clarksburg, W. Va., in the court house where only twenty-one years ago Horace Greeley was indicted for mailing three copies of his *Tribune* to that place. The man who drew the the indictment is now the Democratic candidate for Congress in the First District of that State, and is likely to be beaten by a Republican.

THE sister cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis, only twelve miles apart, are about to be "wedded with double bands of steel." The short line of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, connecting the two cities, is nearly completed, and that of the St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railroad is progressing to completion. These close connections will virtually make the two cities one.

A DEMOCRAT was making a speech at Elmira the other evening, and in the heat of debate asked the question, "What will Hancock do if elected?" Before he had time to answer himself, a gentleman in the audience quoted Bob Toombs' opinion on this subject—"Let the South run the machine!"—whereupon the speaker became angry, and demanded that somebody be put out.

A WHEAT production of 2,000,000,000 bushels annually which is not far in excess of the truth, would require a daily consumption of 5,350,000 bushels to use it all up. Of course this means seeding as well as breading the world. This is an enormous quantity, but five bushels per head for the whole world would amount to three times as much for food alone, without leaving anything for seed. Here is a bit of consolation for those who think we have passed the limit of useful production in wheat. It only needs to Christianize a few savages, and then the world will want five times as much wheat as is now raised, for bread, and would consume all our corn in the shape of sugar and whisky.

DANVILLE *News*:—Trumbull says that the democratic party should have power because it has gotten to where the republican party was in 1860. That would be like giving a man a pension because he rides over a battle field twenty years after the battle is fought. Mr. Trumbull should tell us where the Democratic party was twenty years ago.

From Despair to Gladness.

Mr. Giles Carter, a well known citizen of Rochester, N. Y., has just given the following card to the public: For about two years my wife has been troubled with something and we could not imagine what: she had frequent flashes of heat, followed by severe sweats, both night and day; her back troubled her a great deal, and any exertion seemed to utterly prostrate her. She drank large quantities of water without seeming to quench her thirst in the least, and kept getting worse and worse all the time. We employed the services of a physician, but without benefit, not even learning what was the matter with her. Finally, noticing a peculiarity in her urine, I had it examined, and by boiling, reduced it to molasses, about half in quantity to the amount of water used. I at once wrote to her brother, a physician in the East, who pronounced it "Sugar" or (Saccharine) Diabetes. He said he knew of no cure for it, and that she probably could not get well; that she might live for a few years, but would get worse and worse all the time.

At this time, and when we were in despair, I saw Warner's Safe Diabetes Cure advertised, purchased a bottle and my wife has continued using it until she is now *perfectly cured* and as well as she has been for years. I consider Warner's Safe Diabetes Cure a blessing and boon to humanity."

For sale by W. C. Armstrong, druggist. sep9-d&w1w

REPUBLICAN RALLIES.

Official Appointments for the Hon. J. G. Cannon and Other Speakers.

Cannon's Appointments.

Hon. Joseph G. Cannon, Republican candidate for congress, will speak as follows, in this county and vicinity:

Maroa, Sept. 28th, afternoon.
Macon, " 28th, evening.
Sulphur Springs, Sept. 29th.
Latham, Logan county, Sept. 30th.
Argenta, Oct. 1.

The meetings at Sulphur Springs, Mt. Zion township and at Latham, will be all day meetings—basket picnics—at which other speakers will be present. The definite character of the meetings at Maroa and Argenta will be announced as soon as the local committees can be conferred with.

September 11th.

SEPT. 11th the Republicans of Blue Mound township will be addressed by E. P. Vail, Esq., and others, at the Madison school-house.

THE Republicans of Mt. Zion are to have another rally at that place on Saturday evening, Sept. 11, at 7½ o'clock p. m. Col. H. W. Rowell and Hon. J. R. Gorin are to speak. Let everybody desiring to hear a clear exposition of the situation be present.

September 13th.

There will be a meeting of the Republicans of Long Creek township, at Long Creek school house on Monday evening at 7:30 for the purpose of organizing a Garfield and Arthur Club. Let all Republicans be present. Col. H. W. Rowell, of Decatur and others will address the meeting. Per order of

J. S. GILLESPIE, Chairman.

A grand Republican rally will be held at South Macon, in Macon Hall, Monday night, Sept 13th, at 8 o'clock. Gen. J. H Moore and Ed. P. Vail, of Decatur, will speak. Let there be a full attendance. The ladies are especially invited to come out.

September 18th.

There will be a rally of the Republican voters of Friend's Creek township, at Newburg, on Saturday, Sept. 18th, at eight o'clock. W. A. Vanleer Esq., will address the meeting. CHAS. TOWERS, Chairman.

SOME GOOD REASONS FOR YOUNG CITIZENS.

From the New York Tribune.

"Why should I vote the Republican ticket?" asks the young man who has just reached his majority, and is desirous of making a conscientious choice between the two parties which solicit his ballot. Here are a few reasons why:

Because the Republican party is the only party which has no cause to be ashamed of its past record.

Because it began its existence by resisting the extension of the curse of human slavery to the free Territories of the West.

Because it fought a four-years' war to save the Union from being broken into fragments, and conquered the most formidable rebellion known to history.

Because it emancipated 4,000,000 of slaves, and gave them the right of "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" which the Declaration of Independence pronounced to be the inalienable right of all mankind.

Because by an amendment to the constitution it forbade the States to deprive any citizen of the ballot on account of the color of his skin, thus making suffrage national and impartial.

Because, in a struggle of ten years' duration, it steadfastly and successfully defended the national honor against the assaults of repudiators, and put the credit of the United States on a par with that of other great civilized nations of the world.

Because it made good the nation's promise to the holders of its greenback notes that they should be redeemed in coin, bringing the whole volume of the paper currency up to par with gold by the passage of the Resumption act, in spite of the persistent hostility of the Democrats.

Because it provided the country with the safest and best banking system known to the world, and rescued it from the evils of the former irresponsible State banking system.

Because it has always honored labor, and has recognized its right to comfort and education, by a tariff which protects the American workingman against the competition of the pauperized laborers of Europe.

Because it believes in the education of the masses, and has given free schools to fourteen States of the Union, which had no system for general, impartial education until after the reconstruction which followed the war.

Because it has warmly maintained the results of the war, and constantly asserted and defended the great principles of nationality, liberty and equality.

Because it stands to-day for a pure ballot uncontrolled by intimidation and undefiled by fraud, and for government by the freely expressed will of the majority.

Because it is the party of ideas, principles and progress, and embraces in its ranks a large majority of the men of intelligence, culture, enterprise and high character in every Northern community.

Because the party which saved the Republic from disruption, and made it free, strong, honest and honored of all nations, can be best trusted to manage its government and mold its destinies.

SOFT NUT COAL an dry stove wood a McClelland's coal yard.
May 17-dtf

EARLY Breakfast cooking stove given in exchange for anything that it takes for housekeeping at Ashby & Andress.
Feb4-tf

TELEGRAPHIC

VERMONT.

It Comes up with About 25,000 Majority,

And a Full Republican Delegation in Congress.

OTHER POLITICAL ITEMS

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, Vt., Sept. 8.—The returns of the State election and gubernatorial vote has been received from 220 towns, leaving 21 to be heard from. The gubernatorial vote has been received from 502 towns, leaving 39 towns to be heard from. The gubernatorial vote stands as follows: Farnham, Rep., 49,823; Phelps, Dem., 20,71; Heath, Greenback, 1,530; Farnham's majority over all, 24,576. The same towns gave in 1876: Fairbanks, Rep., 44,065; Bingham, Dem., 20,320; scattering 73; Fairbank's majority, 23,672. This shows that the Republicans gain 2,904 and the Democrats gain 397 in 299 towns.

Towns to be heard from gave in 1876 to Farbanks, 656; Bingham, 668, but if the Republican gain in the remaining towns in proportion to those heard from. The entire vote of the state in 1876 gave a Republican majority of 23,725.

In the first congoessional district 74 towns gave Joyce, Republican, 13,150; Randall, Democrat, 7,448; Martin, Greenbacker, 365. Joyce's majority 4,076.

In the Second Congressional District 72 towns gave Tyler, Republican, 14,732; Campbell, Democrat, 5,939; Mead, Fusion, 341; scattering, 17; Tyler's majority, 8,445.

In the Third Congressional District, 40 towns, Grout, Republican, has 10,916, Democrat, 5,021; Tarbell, Greenback, 1,118; scattering, 416. Grout's majority, 4,361. There are in the three districts 29 towns to be heard from. The complexion of the next Legislature will be more strongly Republican than for a long time before, being composed of 192 Republicans, 15 Democrats and one Greenbacker. Full returns will probably be received to-morrow.

SENDS GREETINGS TO GEN. GARFIELD.

MENTOR, Ohio., September 8.—The following dispatches were received by Gen. Garfield:

Burlington, Democratic at the last election, gives a Republican majority of one hundred and eighty. The state will cheer you to-night. [Signed],
GEO. F. EDMUNDS.

From Middlebury, Vt.:

Vermont all right—Middlebury goes Republican by a majority of 356, a gain of 50 over 1876 [Signed]
W. M. SLADE.

From Northfield, Vt.:

The Republicans of Vermont send greeting, and give a majority of 25,000. On her vote securely rests the proud title star that never sets. [Signed]
GEO. NICHOLS,
Chm'n Republican State Com.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—One hundred and fifty hands are in the employ of the democratic congressional committee, putting up and mailing democratic documents.

The fever-ship, Emma Lewis, which was reported to have started from Havana for this city, has not appeared in the Potomac, and it is thought she went down in the great gale.

The Shubutua (Miss.) *Messenger* has the following excuse for their treatment of Randall, the Greenback campaigner:

Randall told the negroes at Kizer Hill that he was there in the interest of the Republican party. He held a grand old-style carpet-bag levee, and the negroes flocked to him as they did under the old regime. And what could ensue under these circumstances other than that Randall should stir up the animosities and prejudices of the race? If he was here in disguise, as this proves, he was doing a devilish, mean work. He was a demon of darkness instead of an evangelist of light.

General Garfield is a member of the Christian or Campbelite church, and is a regular attendant upon its ministrations. The only church edifice of that denomination in this city is a small frame building near the Thomas statue, which is as unpretending as it is possible for a structure made of pine boards to be. The members of this little church hope to see the next president of the United States occupying his regular pew.

The only considerable innovation at the House end of the Capitol is the building of an elevator for the House. The senate has had an elevator for some years, but the members of the House seemed to take pride in the fact that they were younger men, and did not need an elevator so much as cripples like Senator Morton did, at whose instance the senate elevator was constructed. Finally, Representative Klatz, of Pennsylvania, a democrat and a very fat man, had the courage to suggest, in an amendment to the appropriation bill, that it would be a very proper thing if there was an elevator at the House end, and the money was appropriated without a word of objection.

Postmaster General Maynard expects to leave Washington by the latter part of next week for a brief visit to his old home in East Tennessee, and will make several speeches for Garfield and Arthur during his absence.

General Spinner, whose wonderful signature is on many of the greenbacks, is in the city. He has a home in New York and one in Florida.

Congressman Beltzhoover is trying to crawl out of the consequences of his letter "giving it" to rebel congressmen who stood in the way of pensions for crippled soldiers.

The democrats are becoming so much alarmed at the effects of the split in the democratic party in Virginia that a New York lawyer, supposed to be representing the national committee, has been in Richmond for a week endeavoring to effect an adjustment.

NEW YORK, September 8.—The *Herald* publishes the following from St. Augustine, Fla.: The main part of the wrecked steamer Vera Cruz was beached on Anastasia Island, some twelve miles from this city, near Matanzas, and her freight strewed the beach the entire length of the island, and also on the north beach (main land) for several miles. Her freight was very valuable, and came ashore in great quantities. The pilots of St. Augustine, of whom there are five, were the first to discover that the wreck had occurred, and, what was of more consequence to them, the vast amount of freight already beached and more coming. They at once formed themselves into a joint stock company for the time, and went for that freight with a vim Monday and Tuesday, August 30 and 31. They kept the matter of the wreck a profound secret until the night of the 31st of August. In the meantime the pilots had worked both day and night. Having entire possession of both beach and cargo, they managed to have many a goodly pile stored up at different points of the beach, worth thousands of dollars. Several trunks belonging to passengers came ashore in good order, only to be broken open and rifled. One evidently belonged to a lady of wealth, for it was filled with costly silk, diamonds and clothing of the finest order, and laces worth many a dollar. A gold watch and chain, also two valuable bracelets, were found in this trunk. In another trunk a large pocket-book well filled with bills was found by these fortunate pilots. In fact, they had a bonanza, and they worked it for all it was worth, having gold watches, diamonds, well-filled wallets, elaborate clothing, and many tons of valuable freight as their reward. Indeed, the latter was in such vast proportions that teams were employed for several days in hauling their find, and large lighters were loaded with the produce.

When the matter leaked out last Tuesday night, the whole city was alive with excitment. Everybody who had a boat or could borrow or press one into service hied away to the beach. Nor was this wrecking fever confined to the Minorcans or negroes, but business men and clerks for the time turned wreckers, and the beach was thronged with anxious hunters for cast-up treasures of the sea, and notwithstanding pilots had the cream of the finds, and only the gleanings remained, yet enough was gathered to repay them all richly and enable the major part of the population to dispense with hog, mullet and hominy, and live on ham, preserves, canned goods, and wash it down with either wine or ale. Many camped on the beach all night.

A bag of mail-matter was found September 1. Being duly out open and examined, and nothing found in it worth keeping, it was handed over to the Postmaster. Several bodies were washed ashore. After being inspected and plundered they were buried in the sand on the beach. The corpse of a young lady came ashore on whose person was a dress of rich silk and on a finger was a valuable solitaire diamond ring. She was also buried on the beach, after being rifled of her valuables.

NEW YORK, September 8.—A dispatch from Upton, in the province of Quebec, says: "One of the most terrible occurrences in the history of this section of country was a fire which swept through a portion of this villiage on Monday, carrying ruin and death in its track both to man and beast. Bush fires had been numerous for some time, and little attention was given them. The high wind of Monday fanned the flames until the inhabitants about 3 o'clock saw with dismay a wall of flames come toward them with a steady sweep as fast as a man could run, and swallowing up everything in its course. By 4 o'clock the first farm house had been reached. The fire ran along the rail fences, burning grain, and the wind sent sparks in all directions. So quickly was one farm house after another enveloped that men, women and children had barely time to escape out of its line.

Eminent Witmer Brinton, M. D.,
of Baltimore, writes: * * * I have used Colden's LIEBIG'S LIQUID EXTRACT OF BEEF and Tonic Invigorator in my practice, and have been much gratified with the result. As a tonic in all cases of debility, weakness, anemia, chlorosis, consumption, etc., it *cannot be surpassed*
Sold by Druggists.
Aug. 15-d&w1m

Bound to Vote for Garfield.

Gen. Irvin McDowell, commanding on the Pacific Coast, has procured leave of absence from Army Headquarters for the sole purpose of going to New York (where he has long maintained his legal residence) in order to vote next November. He wrote the other day to a friend, asking to be advised of the day on which he must be there for registration, saying that he was coming home solely to vote for Gen. Garfield, and meant to bring another voter with him.

GREENVILLE (S. C.) *News*: Not the least of the grievances of the democrats against the republicans is that the latter have kicked Ben Butler over to our side. The best thing we can do is to kick him back. The democracy should decline to act in the capacity of a garbage heap, and this is a good time to impress Ben with the abhorrence and contempt that all respectable people have for him.

It would be well for you to take advantage of the discount we are giving the balance of this Month. FOR CASH you can buy a dollar's worth of goods for EIGHTY CENTS, as we are still deducting 20 per cent. on all goods but Prints and Muslins. No goods charged at the reduced prices.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

Aug. 21—d&wtf.

COAL! COAL!!

J. H. VENNIGERHOLZ,

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Sole Agent for MT. OLIVE COAL, and also for the DELAWARE AND HUDSON CANAL COMPANY'S LACKAWANNA.

Office and yard adjoining Decatur Furniture Company's Factory. Telephone at Ashby & Andress'. Sept 9—d3mos

AYOOB KHAN, who for a time loosened England's grip upon the throat of Afghanistan by the defeat of General Burrows, is a brother of Yakoob Khan, whom, it may be remembered, the fleeing Shere Ali alluded to in his famous proclamation as that "ill-starred wretch, Yakoob Khan." Yakoob then had his brother Ayoob under his influence. Yakoob afterward became Ameer, and in turn failed to keep his throne. Ayoob has received from his people the honors of a King ever since the English invasion forced the flight of his father. He has shown remarkable personal courage on many occasions. He, in common with all Oriental despots, has no other admirable characteristics.

They Want Their Families Provided For.

Boston Transcript.

No less than eleven United States Senators have their sons and nephews in snug Government places under the upper branch of Congress. These Senators want a "change" in the Executive Department to get the rest of their families into profitable places.

To Pleasure Seekers.

The Illinois Central Railroad will sell round-trip tickets to Clear Lake, Iowa for $15 50; tickets on sale during the months of June, July, August and September, and on July 12th we will sell for the same point by special train, leaving Dubuque July 13th, for $9.35, all tickets good to return by any regular train within sixty days. We also have on sale summer excursion tickets to St. Paul and return, tickets good until Oct 1st; fare for the round trip, $19.50. For further information enquire at Central ticket office, Union depot. June 22 d&wtf

Fashionable Harness.

The old reliable house of J. G. Starr & Son have now in stock one of the largest and most complete stocks of single and double harness in Illinois, of great variety and all the very latest styles, handsomely ornamented with oriental and nickel wire ball trimmings. Parties will save from 10 to 20 per cent. by purchasing harness of this house. ap27dtf

WE WANT your custom, and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our store is the best place in town to trade. Bargains are to be had every day this spring.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER

BOOK-CASES and Secretaries, at Ashby & Andress'. 14-d&wtf

MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, ILL., Sept 9, 1880.

GRAIN MARKET.	
FLOUR—patent process	$4.00
FLOUR—White Wheat selling per hundred lbs	$3 00
FLOUR—Red wheat selling per hundred lbs	2.75
WHEAT. (new)	80@81
CORN MEAL—White selling	45@50
" " —Yellow "	50
SHORTS—Per hundred, selling	75
CORN	30
OATS	18
Rye	65
FLAXSEED—Per bushel	1.70
FARM PRODUCE.	
POTATOES	60
BUTTER—Per lb	20
EGGS—Per dozen	8½
LARD—Selling	10
SIDE-BACON—Selling	10
HAMS—Selling	12½
CHICKENS—Per dozen, live	2.40
DRESSED CHICKENS—Each	35
" TURKEYS—Per pound,	10
ONIONS—Per bushel	2.00
APPLES—Per bushel	3.00
TIMOTHY HAY—New, per ton	9.00@10
BALED HAY, selling at	$14
FAT CATTLE—Per cwt	3.00@3.25
HOGS—Per cwt	3.00@3.25
HIDES—Green	6½
" " damaged	½ price
" —Dry	10@15
SHEEP PELTS—Apiece	50@1.75
TALLOW—Per pound	2@2½
WOOL	
FEATHERS	

PHYSICIANS, Druggists, Dealers, Consumers, unite in testimony that Rinehart's Worm Lozenges are the greatest discovery of the age. 25 cents per box. *Warranted.* For sale by A. J. Stoner and J. T. Hubbard. sep9-d&w1w

WE keep everything in our line; low shoes, high shoes, big shoes, little shoes, broad shoes, narrow shoes, fine shoes or coarse shoes, and if you want any other kind of a shoe we will order it for you. We aim to please. Call and see us.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER.

Homeopathic Remedies!

And McCormack Bros.' Family Guide Chart, for sale at Dr. A. J. Stoner's drug store, Decatur, Ill. [Nov 7-d&wly

OUR spring stock was never excelled either in quantity, quality or price, and we invite your patronage on the basis of the best goods for the least money. Come and see us if you want your shoes to fit.
27-d&wtf BARBER & BAKER.

ACORN STOVES.

GET THE BEST!

LEAD ALL OTHERS!

Every Style & Price.

Guaranteed Unequaled FOR

OPERATION, ECONOMY, DURABILITY and WORKMANSHIP.

Improvements and Conveniences found in no others.

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For Sale in Every City and Town in the United States.

FOR SALE BY

CLOSE, GRISWOLD & CO.
Sept. 9—w1w

JAMES VEALE,

Merchant Tailor!

Having returned to Decatur to locate permanently, has opened a FIRST-CLASS TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT in

Rothfuss' Building, S. E. Cor. Old Square,

where will be found a full line of

Foreign and Domestic Piece Goods,

which will be made up to order in the Latest Styles and at reasonable prices, guaranteeing satisfaction in every case. PERFECT FITS WARRANTED. sep7d3mo

The Daily Republican.

THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT. 9, 1880.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

CHEAP enough!—162 pieces American China, a full dinner set, for only $18.00, at E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s.

NEW moon.

[illegible] to-night.

GOOD weather for rheumatism.

LAST day of the state convention.

THE festive oyster is now in demand.

DECATUR wants a good cornet player.

SIX extra policemen are on duty to-day.

SEVERAL Decatur ladies contemplate spending conference week in Danville.

DON'T fail to attend Waggoner & Murphey's great auction sale of town lots at the west door of the court house, commencing at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. See notice in another column.

SPLENDID new honey just received at Niedermyer's, on the mound.

WE learn that Sheriff Forstmyer officiated as bridesmaid at a wedding in Champaign recently, and acquitted himself with credit in that trying position.

NICE FRESH OYSTERS, by the dish or can, at WOOD'S. [Sept2d2ww1mo

THE Decatur Band will accompany the firemen to Litchfield to-morrow morning, and will show the Egyptians what good music is.

PATRONIZE the Grand Court festival at Guards' Armory Hall to-night. All are invited.

LOOK over Pratt's general stock before purchasing. [Aug 20-d3m

This forenoon Special Policeman John Arnold discovered a stranger in the act of picking a lady's pocket on one of the streets. John collared the villain and marched him off to the calaboose.

PETER ULLRICH sells none but the best of groceries.

THE big Weekly REPUBLICAN was issued from this office this morning. Call early if you want copies to send away to your absent friends.

MILAM'S bread is always fresh and pure and sweet. 14-dtf

THE prayer meeting last night at the 1st M. E. Church was very largely attended, notwithstanding the tabernacle meeting, though the exercises were brief, and closed in time for the temperance meeting.

SCHOOL BOOKS—All kinds, at J. M. Stookey & Co.'s. [Sep3dtf

THE total receipts of the late Edgar county fair foot up $4,000. Our fair managers expect to do better than that. Get your articles ready for the exhibition which begins with a grand barbecue on Tuesday Sept. 21st. 1,000 loaves of bread have been ordered for the barbecue.

TRY one of Will L Ferguson's large frain Fluid Stoves. They are the best in the city. 19-dtf

THE Sunday school of the 1st M. E. church will hold a special session next Sunday afternoon at the usual hour. Miss Mary Conner will give one or two readings, and there will be an abundance of singing. The exercises will be of the concert nature.

NEW fall hats just received at M. Falconer's, No. 18 Merchant street, up stairs. 3-d1w

BE sure to call for Dr. Marshall's Bromoline when you want a thorough and prompt blood purifier. Sold by Decatur druggists. 8-d&w1w

SEASONED, sawed, and split or four-foot wood, delivered on short notice from Pratt's wood yard, 37 North Church street. [Aug. 20-d3m

THE "Victor Slate" is the best, and you can get any size, single or double, at 3-dtf J. M. STOOKEY & Co.'s.

DECATUR omnibus and carriage line to and from the depot, and to any part of the city. Orders left at the St. Nicholas Hotel will receive prompt attention day and night. PETER LAUX.
Aug. 20-d3mos

THE finest assortment of Carriages, Phaetons, top and open Buggies, and Spring Wagons, of all kinds, ever brought to this market, are now in store at the implement house of V. H. Parke. They are, A No. 1, and warranted. No shyster auction work—good honest goods, at a fair price. Persons wanting anything in this line are invited to call. V. H. PARKE,
North of the Priest House.
July 13-d2m

Wanted.

An intelligent, tidy boy for cash and errand boy. Reference required.
CHEAP STORE.

DRY GOODS.

All the *new* and *desirable shades* and *patterns* in DRY GOODS, CLOAKS, SHAWLS, NAPKINS and HOSIERY, at
Sept. 8-d1w THEO. A. GEHRMANN'S, No. 10 Merchant-St.

The English Kitchen.

Oscar Bledsoe has purchased a half interest in the popular English Kitchen, and the firm will hereafter be known as Boyd & Bledsoe. They respectfully invite the continued liberal patronage of the public. Day board $3 per week. Meals served at all hours at 25 cents each. Open every night until 1 a. m.
Sept. 7-d3d

Ice!

Leave orders for Mafflt's crystal ice at S. T. Keeler's Hat Store, No. 20 East Main street, May 3-dtf

W. LADD'S folding cots, fold up up like an umbrella, for sale at
25d&wtf ASHBY & ANDRESS.

CHEAPEST School Bags and Book Straps in the city, at J. M. Stookey & Co.'s. [Sept. 8-dtf

For Rent.

The Rinn property, near the court house, at $200 per annum. J. M. CLOKEY.
Aug. 27-dtf

Grapes.

Choice grapes and sweet wine supplied to houses at low rates. HENRY PRYER,
Sept. 1—d2w* Decatur Street

THE Illinois annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church begins its 57th session in the city of Danville, on Wednesday, Sept. 15th, Bishop Wm. L. Harris, presiding. This conference embraces the central portion of the state extending from the Mississippi to the Indiana state line. It includes Bloomington on the north and Carlinville on the south line, hence is about 90 miles in width. There are in its bounds 213 separate charges, 474 churches, and nearly forty thousand members. The conference numbers 270 ministers, most of whom will be in attendance. Visiting ministers from other conferences will swell the number to at least 300. Excursion rates will be furnished on application at the Wabash Railway ticket office.

A NUMBER of temperance ladies served a splendid dinner to-day in the Reform Club room. It was patronized by about 150 people, at 25 cents a plate. There was such a rush at the start that some nervous lady, thinking she had the sugar bowl in her hand, sprinkled salt on about a dozen pies on the tables, making them rather unfit for toothsome eating, and for a time the forks were rather "skase." Aside from these little annoying incidents the dinner was a complete success, and reflected much credit on the ladies' proverbial good taste and management.

THIS forenoon a bold burglar entered Benjamin Dill's residence during his temporary absence, and stole Mrs. Dill's gold watch, valued at $100, a gold ring and about $6 in cash. This makes the third time within a few weeks that Mr. Dill has been burglarized and he is almost persuaded to take the law in his own hands and rid the town of a lot of loafers. What he has done to merit such frequent visitations is what no man can find out. The robber escaped with his booty. Dill and the police are looking for him.

THE W. St. L. & P. company will build a line from Richey, 52½ miles from Chicago on the main line, and run through the Braidwood coal fields to Streator, where it will connect with the old Chicago and Paducah road, which is owned by the Wabash. This will interfere somewhat with the C., B. & Q. The Wabash under the generalship of Gould will prove a lively rival to the old roads, and right warm times may be expected in future all along the line.

THREE teams of the Decatur fire department will leave for Litchfield to-morrow, and capture the principal prizes offered to competing hose and hook and ladder companies at the 7th annual celebration of the completion of the water works at that town. The cash prizes amount to $250. Success to the boys.

OWEN ROONEY, arrested on the 4th inst., and jailed on the charge of robbing John Dewier of $15, was released from custody on yesterday, because the complainant failed to materialize. The supposition is that the money was refunded and that Dewier had been spirited away.

REMEMBER the Grand Court installation of officers and festival at Guards' Armory to-night. All invited. Admission ten cents.

The Show.

Barnum's great show arrived in Decatur early this morning from Springfield, and made a stunning street parade between 9 and 10 o'clock. It was witnessed by thousands of people from the surrounding country, and was in truth a dazzling display of fine horses, ponies, zebras, eight elephants, richly ornamented wagons, magnificent chariots, etc.; in fact, it was just such a parade of collateral capital as makes Barnum famous the world over.—This afternoon the great pavilions were crowded with people, and the programme, as published yesterday, was carried out to the letter. It's a fine entertainment.—See it to-night.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Mrs. Davis and daughter, Miss Minnie, of Port Deposit, Md., who have been the guests of Mrs. J. A. Close, left for their home on yesterday.

Miss Katie McNutt, of Charleston, who has been visiting Mrs. Dr. Roberts, left for Jacksonville yesterday, where she will attend school this fall and winter.

Misses Maud and Fannie Moore, of Georgetown, Ky., who have been on a visit to Des Moines, Iowa, have stopped over on a visit to their aunt, Mrs. D. Skillman Allen, at Harristown.

Miss Julia, daughter of Col. John Reed, and Dr. Gip Elder were married at Bloomington on yesterday forenoon. Miss Fannie Shellabarger, of Decatur, was one of the attendants.

A. W. Woods, son of Robert Woods, of Wheatland township, gave us a call this morning, and exhibited a handsome collection of artistic penmanship—his own work. Mr. Woods will put his specimens in a frame and show them to the public at the county fair.

Attention, Boys!

All members of the boys' Garfield and Arthur Club are requested to be present at the drill at the court house Thursday evening, Sept. 9th, at 7:30 o'clock, sharp. Those members who have uniforms and torches will please bring them, and those who have not yet obtained them, may do so by being present at the meeting.
By order of COMMITTEE.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of the late John H. Slaughter will take place from St. John's Episcopal Church on to-morrow (Friday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The rector, Rev. W. H. Moore, will conduct the services.

Wanted!

Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, by man and wife. References exchanged. Address L., this office.
Sept. 8-d2*

YOU can save time and trouble by going direct to J. M. Stookey & Co.'s for School Books, Slates, etc. They have everything you want. [Sep3dtf

THE I. S. C. T. UNION.

Proceedings of the State Convention of Yesterday and To-Day—Resolutions Adopted, &c.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 8.

Convention assembled at 2 p. m.

The following officers of the State Union were elected:

President—W. D. Wyatt, of Lincoln.

Vice Presidents—Rev. J. W. Cecil, of Macon county, and R. B. Coddington, of Logan county.

Recording Secretary—John R. Barnett, of Latham, Logan county.

Corresponding Secretary—J. B. Montague, of Lincoln, Logan county.

Treasurer—W. W Howser, of Logan co.

Executive Committee—Franklin Priest, Macon county; Capt. Lathrop, Champaign county; Judge McCaskill, Christian co.; T. Y. Lewis, Moultrie county, and W. W. Howser, Logan county.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following resolutions were adopted after a stormy discussion, in which nearly every delegate took part:

WHEREAS, The legalized liquor traffic of the county, endangers the safety, peace, prosperity and perpetuity of our government more than all other evils and enemies combined, and is the great moral, social, financial and political question before the American people;

Resolved, That we recognize the suppression of the legalized liquor traffic as the great living issue before the American people, which demands the profound attention and deepest thought of all true patriots and financiers.

2nd. That this end will not be gained until our forces shall be united in their voting, as well as in the agitation of this question and in moral influences.

3rd. That we are in favor of the organization of Prohibition Clubs in every voting precinct in the State, the members of which shall be pledged to vote for no man for any office unless he be a pronounced temperance man.

4th. The members of these Clubs shall also use all favorable means to secure an amendment to our State constitution prohibiting the manufacture, sale and importation of intoxicants as a beverage, and to make such amendment when secured, efficient by the necessary legislation.

5th. We call upon all temperance people in the State, of every name and order, to unite in this determined attack upon the rum power.

6th. That the history and results of all past efforts in regard to the suppression of the liquor traffic now demand that woman shall have a voice at the ballot-box as well as on the platform, by which she may aid in wiping out this stain upon our State and Nation. That inasmuch as the women of this country pay tax, are amenable to the laws of the land and are subject to all political evils, they should be clothed with the right of suffrage, and that we in our delegated capacity demand of our legislators action in our next Legislature looking to the speedy enfranchisement of women in Illinois.

7th. That we urge upon all Unions and temperance societies of the country the great need of more systematic organization and energetic action; that every meeting should be planned with such care and foresight as to make it such a success as to strike terror to the hearts of the enemies of temperance.

8th. That in the future as in the past, we put our trust in God for power to overcome this great evil, and that we will in every way strive to this end.

SAMUEL REED, Chairman.
MRS. M. H. WILSON, Sec.
T. T. KENDRICK,
G. K. WOODWARD,
J. H. HOOFSTITLER,
Committee.

The following resolutions offered by Mrs. M. H. Wilson, of Springfield, were adopted:

Resolved, That this Convention tender a vote of thanks to the press of Decatur for their attention and courtesy during the Convention.

2nd, That the thanks of this body are due to the citizens of Decatur for the kind and hospitable manner in which they have received, and contributed to the comfort of the delegates to this Convention.

EVENING MEETING.

The meeting in the evening was one of much interest, and attracted a very large representation of Decatur temperance people. Excellent addresses were delivered by Mrs. M. A. Woodbridge, of Ohio, and Rev. T. T. Kendrick, of Decatur.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 9.

Court convened at 9:30 a m.

After prayer, President Wyatt delivered an inaugurating address. A resolution was adopted systematizing the Union finances. The selection of delegates to the National Convention was left to the executive board.

On motion, it was decided that the next meeting of the State Union be held at Jacksonville, commencing on the first Tuesday of September, 1881.

An open letter, stating that the whisky interest of Illinois is in an organized state, was read by Colonel Rowell, and Rev. Haynes offered a resolution recommending the organization of prohibition clubs wherever practicable.

After much spirited discussion Rev. Haynes' resolution was adopted.

Bear & Einstein

Have returned from Chicago, where they have purchased a complete stock of new millinery goods, ladies' furnishing goods, including all the latest obtainable novelties in the market. These goods will be placed on the shelves and ready for inspection by Saturday morning, Sept. 4th, when the new establishment, at No. 28 East Main street, will be opened for business. All are most cordially invited to call and see the new stock.

P. S.—The firm has engaged one of the best milliners in the city of Chicago, who will have control of the millinery department. 30-d&w1m

NOTE THIS—Linn & Scruggs say what they mean, in language that cannot be misunderstood—and do what they say.
Aug. 7, d&w tf.

THE largest stock of cooking stoves in town at Ashby & Andress'. 6-d&wtf

IF you want good bread buy at Milam's bakery. 24-dtf

FOR nice groceries, glass and queensware, go to E. B. Pratt's. [aug 20-d3m

PIER Glasses and Parlor suits for sale by Ashby & Andress. 14-d&wtf

FIRST-CLASS upholstering done at P. B. Provost & Son's. 2-dtf

Millinery.

Hats and Bonnets, Feathers, Flowers, Ornaments, Ribbons, Velvets, Silks and Satins—all in the *new shades* and *styles* of the season, at THEO. A. GEHRMANN'S,
Sept. 8—d1w No. 10 Merchant-St.

PURE drugs, medicines, paints, oils, etc., at bottom prices at the Morgan street Drug Store. june6-dtf

Just In.

100 boxes of fresh new Ruchings.
7-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

REDUCE your shoe bills by buying of Barber & Baker. d&wtf

Housekeepers

Should bear in mind that we carry a complete stock of table linen, towels, crash, napkins, table cloths, and table oil cloth. They should also take the trouble to price them.
Sept 4d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

RECEPTION DAY.

Grand Opening of Linn & Scruggs' Magnificent New Dry Goods Store—Not Another Like It in the State, Outside of Chicago.

The old-established and widely-known dry goods house of Linn & Scruggs, which has given Decatur considerable prominence in a business sense, is now located in Powers' new building—a magnificent establishment, arranged especially for the firm's rapidly-increasing retail trade. The building is a two-story brick, on the southeast corner of Water and Main streets, in the business center of the city. The size of the first floor is 74 by 88 feet—the "roomiest room you ever saw"—which, with the spacious basement, is occupied wholly by Linn & Scruggs' bran new and mammoth stock of goods. The ceiling is 18 feet in height, and the ventilation is splendid, while the light is all that could have been desired. The building was built under the direction of Contractor McNabb, and is well-appointed and substantial in every respect.

Our reporter took a hasty walk through the new establishment this morning and jotted down a few items. The main entrance to the store is at the wide cut-off corner. On the north side of the spacious room is the corset and hosiery department; on the west side, the gents' furnishing goods department; on the east side the carpet and oil cloth department; on the south side the cloak and shawl department. Opposite the gents' furnishing goods department on entering the store, the visitor will find the glove, ribbon and notion counter; in the second aisle will be found linens, dress goods, white goods, handkerchiefs, embroideries and laces; in the next aisle are the prints, linens, woolens and general house-keeping goods. The stock throughout is entirely new, and complete in all departments.

In the southwest corner of the room is the office of the firm, which will be fitted up in elegant style; near the cash office is the wrapping counter, and back of that a closet, where will be stored away in numbered boxes, packages that may be left in the store temporarily.

It will be gratifying to the ladies to learn that on the south side of the business room is a convenient retreat, or dressing room, handsomely papered, and furnished with lounges, easy chairs and carpeted, for their especial benefit. It has all the conveniences of a well appointed dressing room. In the basement there is also another dressing room, which will be used by the patrons of the establishment—a place which will doubtles resolve itself into sort of a nursery for children damp and *equally* days.

The basement will be used mostly for unpacking new goods, and for the storage of the "reserve stock."

In conclusion we take great pleasure in congratulating Linn & Scruggs on the elegance and completeness of their new establishment. They came to Decatur in September, 1869—Mr. Scruggs from New York, and Mr. Linn from Belleville, Ill., where he had been engaged in the same business continuously from 1860—and opened a dry goods store here. During their 11 years' stay among us, by fair and honorable dealing they have built up an enviable retail trade amounting to nearly a quarter of a million dollars annually, and now that they occupy a more commodious store, and have increased facilities, they hope to add to their receipts from $75,000 to $100,000 per annum. From 20 to 25 salesmen will be employed permanently, and all will wear handsome blue uniforms. This is "reception day" at the new store, and despite the many other attractions in the city, the establishment has been crowded with ladies and gentlemen who came to admire the goods and make purchases.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post-office, at Decatur, Macon co., Illinois, Sept. 8, 1880.

Beck, Mr Joseph	Miller, Miss Mary J
Brown, Geo H	Montgomery, Mrs S M
Brown, John	Maps, Sam
Chyaron, Lusina	McClintock, W A
Cummings, Miss Mary	McClelland, W A
Carney, Thomas	Nelson, Florence
Carter, Williams	Nye, L E J
Davidson, D W	Pettyjohn Mr Ira
Dean, Lizzie	Patterson, John M
Darnell, Wm F	Ransdell, Mr James
Griffis, Clarence'H	Rowland, R
Gray, Miss Lottie	Rother, Will H
Goodman, Mrs Mary	Smith, E G
Grone, Ned C	Stone, Howard
Hogan, Ellen J	Thomas, Mrs A B
Lawrence, David	Vest, Mrs Madama
Lantz, John E	Wilson, Lieu JiA
Lavre, John	Wilson, Willson
Landon, J E	Woods. Miss Kate
Lafrores Mary	

R. P. LYTLE, P. M.

Rev. Geo. H Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., known to every one in that vicinity as a most influential citizen and Christian minister of the M. E. Church, says: "I wish everybody to know that I consider that both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Drs. Matchett & France, physicians and druggists of the same place, say: "It is having a tremendous sale, and is giving perfect satisfaction such as nothing else has done. For Lame Back, Side or Chest, don't fail to use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. We recommend these remedies." Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

Do You Believe It.

That in this town there are scores of persons passing our store every day whose lives are made miserable by Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour and distressed Stomach, Liver Complaint, Constipation, when for 75 cents we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY, A marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diptheria, Canker Mouth and Headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of the complaint, without extra charge.—Price 50 cents. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner
Oct. 1-d&weot

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S.
Dec. 18—d&wtf

Ladies

Can now buy a supply of hosiery for themselves or children at half their original value. It will pay to buy the class of goods we offer at such a sacrifice, even to stow away for next spring and summer. Good investments always bring sure and good interest.
Sept 4d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

DEATH OF JOHN GRAHAM.

One of the Best Known and Best Men of the City.

The following obituary notice of the father of Mrs. M. Gamble, of this city, is taken from the Louisville *Courier-Journal* of Sept. 5th, 1880:

Mr. John Graham, one of Louisville's oldest and most thoroughly respected citizens, died at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, at his residence, on Chestnut, near Seventh. Mr. Graham's sickness was only of one week's duration, and his death was wholly unexpected. Until Thursday evening he was not considered to be seriously ill, but since that time he had been steadily sinking. His disease was uremia.

Mr. Graham came to this city from the northern part of Ireland with his parents when quite a child, and has been a resident of Louisville ever since. His father was well-known here, having died many years ago. Mr. Graham had three brothers, William, Andrew and George, Andrew being the only one now alive. He also had three sisters, Mrs. Col. Fuller and Mrs. Crowell, of this city, and Miss Graham. Mr. Graham learned the carpenter trade when a young man, and for a number of years he and his brother were together in the carpenter and house-building business here. Shortly before the war he went into the lumber business, and at the close of the war was probably the largest lumber merchant in this section of the country. In this business he continued until his death, the firm being now John Graham & Son.

Mr. Graham was prominent in business for his upright course and sterling honesty. Every friend who met him in business says of him that he was a pushing, thorough business man, and never allowed himself to interfere in the slightest degree with the business of anybody else. He paid strict attention to his own individual affairs, and let others do the same for themselves. He was a strict Presbyterian in belief, and has been for a long time one of the pillars of support to the congregation that now worships in the tabernacle, on Broadway and Fourth. By none will he be missed more than the congregation where he has so long been one of the most prominent figures.

Mr. Graham was in the 66th year of his age at the time of his death, and leaves a family consisting of a wife and three sons, Messrs. Samuel P., John and Wallace, and also three daughters, Mrs. Dr. Weller and Mrs. Wm. Gamble, of Illinois, and Miss Rowey Graham.

The funeral will take place Monday from the tabernacle, the hour not yet being determined upon.

Y. M. C. A. Report.

To the Executive Committee of the Young Men's Christian Association of Decatur, Ill.:

DEAR BRETHREN:—While we have not so large a number of meetings to report this month as usual, the month has been one quite fruitful in desirable results.

The State Convention lately held in Peoria, was attended by twelve representatives from our association, who have been greatly blessed, strengthened, and given more extended and intelligent views of the work of the Young Men's Christian Association.

The association meetings of August were as follows:]

Daily prayer meetings	15
Cottage " "	8
Working Band "	6
Young men's "	5
Jail meetings	4
Gospel "	4
R. R. "	3
Bible study	2
Memorial service	1
Business meetings	1
Executive Committee	1
Total	50

During the month 184 visits were made to the association rooms; 175 reports and 700 printed invitations were distributed; 100 papers, magazines and tracts were given away; 2 new members were enrolled; 1 night's lodging and 2 meals were furnished, and one visit was made to the sick.

The work of the cottage prayer meeting committee and of the committee on invitations, is worthy of special mention.—During the excessively hot weather through which we have just passed their work has been prosecuted with commendable faithfulness We hope to effect a more systematic division of the committee work at an early day.

State Secretary Brown will probably spend the last two weeks of this month with us, in aiding us in arranging our work for the coming year.

I would recommend that the finances of the association receive your early and careful attention. "No debt" should be our watchword if we hope to have the blessing of the Master on our organization. Your brother in Christ,
I J. DAVIS, Gen'l Sec.

DR. MARSHALL'S Bromoline, the Great Vegetable Blood Purifier, takes the lead of all other Blood Medicines. Call and get a bottle of it. Sold by Decatur druggists. [8-d&w1w

FRESH LOT Black Buntings just received by Linn & Scruggs. 27-d&wtf

Wanted!

All kinds of old furniturel and household goods, in exchange or for cash. Will pay more than any other house in the city. New furniture, glass and queensware at prices to defy competition. We have no rents to pay, and can give our customers the benefit of the same. Give me a call before either selling or buying elsewhere. HOUSTON,
East side City Park, old Revere House.
April 16-dtf

GREAT SALE
—OF—
CITY LOTS
—AT—
Public Auction.

The undersigned will offer for sale at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, on

FRIDAY, SEPT. 10, AT 2 P. M.,

the lots in Waggoner & Murphey's Addition to Decatur, being the tract of land lying between North Main and North Church streets, commonly known as "The Show Ground." The lots are of different sizes, fronting on the above named streets, and will be sold to the highest bidder on the following terms:

One-third cash in hand, one-third in one year, and one-third in two years, with eight per cent. interest on deferred payments, payable annually, and secured by mortgage on the premises sold.

Persons desiring further information, or wishing to see a plat of the addition, can do so by calling at the county clerk's office.
Aug. 31—dtd WAGGONER & MURPHEY.

Linn & Scruggs
WILL OPEN!
—THEIR—
NEW STORE!
—ON—
THURSDAY MORNING,
The 9th of September,
COURT HOUSE BLOCK CORNER.

A Large Surplus Stock will be left in their
OLD STORE,
—AND WILL BE—
CLOSED OUT!
—AT—
VERY LOW PRICES.

LINN & SCRUGGS.
Sept. 7, 1880—d&wtf

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The public will find at our Market, in addition to a LARGE SUPPLY of
CHOICE MEATS,
"MALLORY'S"
Celebrated Baltimore Oysters!

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Respectfully,
OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.,
17 East Main Street, Decatur, Ill.
Aug. 11, 1880—d&wtf

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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING WEST.

No. 1 Through Express	7:00 a. m
" 3 Fast Line	4:20 a. m
" 5 Mail	2:45 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express	10:20 p. m
" 4 Atlantic Express	11:40 a. m
" 6 Accommodation	7:00 p. m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East	9:45 a. m
Going West	1:15 p. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, August 8th, 1880, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bempster:

GOING EAST.

No. 44, Chicago Express	12:10 p. m.
Arrive in Chicago at	7:50 "

GOING WEST.

No. 45, St. Louis Express arrive at	2:50 p. m.

St. Louis Division.

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express	6:30 a. m
" 43 Fast Line	4:40 a. m
" 45 Fast Mail	3:10 p. m
Freight	7:30 a. m.

ARRIVE.

No. 42 Lightning Express	10:25 p. m
" 44 Atlantic Express	11:50 a. m
" 46 Accommodation	9:15 p. m

☞ For Routes, Rates, Elegant Maps of the Western Country, and any information you may desire in regard to going West, please call on or address

J. C. CLOTT, Gen. Manager. M. C. TOWNSEND, Gen. Pass. Agent. ST. LOUIS.

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For Through Tickets and further information, apply to

K. HARWOOD, Agent, United Depot, Decatur, Ill.

TIME TABLE.

DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE

Peoria & St Louis Express	Mail & Express	1879. Sept. 15.	St Louis Mail & Express	Eastern & South. Express
Leave. No. 3.	Leave. No. 1		Arrive. No. 2.	Arrive. No. 4.
7.00 am	4.10 pm	Decatur.	3.28 pm	10.00 pm
8.17 "	5.26 "	Mt. Pulaski	2.02 "	8.35 "
8.56 "	6.03 "	Lincoln	1.25 "	7.52 "
9.50 "	6.51 "	Delavan	1.41 "	6.39 "
10.55 "	7.55 "	Pekin	1.10 "	5.45 "
11.30 "	7.30 "	Peoria	12.30 "	5.00 "

Freight leaves at 1:30 p. m.

G. R. COBLEIGH, Gen'l Manager, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.

L. M. RUPERT, Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.

LAKE MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, June 14th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Indianapolis Passenger	8:00 a. m.
Mail & Express	4:20 p. m.
Local Freight	9:10 a. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

Mail and Express	11:35 a. m.
Indianapolis Passenger, arrive	9:00 p. m
Local Freight, depart	7:00 a. m.

Passengers leaving Decatur at 8 o'clock a. m. arrive at Indianapolis at 3:00 p. m.

N. E. ADAMS, Agent.

Indianapolis, Decatur and Springfield

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Tickets for the East and all points North and South on the Chicago & Paducah Railway, Illinois Central (Chicago Division), Paris and Danville Railway, E., T. H. & C. R'y, and I. C. R'y. Only Connections being made at Indianapolis, and through tickets on sale at this office, Decatur, Ill.

CONDENSED TIME-CARD.

LEAVE DECATUR GOING WEST.

Through Express	11 45 a. m
Night Express, daily	10 40 p. m
Freight and Accommodation	2 30 p. m

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Day Express	2 30 p. m
Night Express, daily	4 45 a. m
Freight and Accommodation	9 00 a. m

H. S. MORSE, General Supt.

GEO. A. ANDERSON, Gen'l Freight Agent.

ROYD, Gen'l Ticket Agent.

W. J. NICHOLS, Western Pass. Agent.

General Office, Indianapolis, Ind.

GEO. E. LAMY Agent, Decatur, Ill.

Champaign, Havana & Western Railway.

	Going West.		Going East.
Clinton	7 30 am	1 00 am	4 50 pm
Chestnut	7 49 "	1 19 "	5 16 "
Sangamon	7 55 "	1 25 "	5 27 "
Rosebville	8 09 "	1 40 "	5 50 "
Whitley	8 15 "	1 45 "	6 00 "
White Heath	8 25 "	1 55 "	6 20 "
White Heath		2 10	6 15 pm
Monticello		2 45	4 40
Allerton		3 00	4 25
Gays		3 10	4 12
Augusta		3 15	4 05
Sidney		3 25	3 55
Ogden		3 35	3 45
Ogden	8 35 am	7 17 am	4 25 pm
Rutland	8 45 "	7 28 "	4 09 "
Wellman	8 55 "	7 40 "	3 53 "
Curtiss	9 05 "	7 50 "	3 38 "
Lincoln	9 15 "	8 12 "	3 10 "
Mason City	9 45 "	10 00 "	1 50 "
Havana	5 00 "	10 50 "	9 00 "

W. H. SMITH, General Manager. A. H. WOOD, Gen'l Pass'r.

JAY G. ELLIOTT, General Freight and Ticket Agent, Urbana, Ill.

For through tickets and further information, address W. R. MARSHALL, Agent, Decatur, Ill.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Jan. 21, 1878.

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger	6:45 a m
Accommodation	3:40 p m
Freight	4:30 "

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation	10:05 a m
Passenger	3:25 p m
Freight	9:50 a m

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C. O. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur.

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Chapters on Socialism. Essays of exceeding interest and importance. Price three cents.

Baron Munchausen.

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July 2—d4w3w

DECATUR POST-OFFICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails.

MAILS ARRIVE

Wabash, Short Line East and West	5:30 a. m.
Ill. Cent. from South	7 00 a. m.
" " "	10:30 a. m.
Chicago and Dubuque (via Foreston)	10:30 a. m.
" " Burlington (via Mendota)	10:30 a. m.
I. B. & W.	11:50 a. m.
Wabash from West	12:00 m
St. Louis Division	12:00 m.
I. D. & S.	12:00 m.
Midland from East	12:00 m.
Wabash " "	3:30 p. m.
D., M. & Sullivan	4:30 p. m.
Midland from West	5:00 p. m.
I. C. R. R. from North	6:30 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE.

D. M. & Sullivan	10:00 a. m.
Wabash East	11:15 a. m.
Midland West	11:15 a. m.
I., D. & S.	12:45 p. m.
I., B. & W.	2:30 p. m.
Wabash West	3:00 p. m.
St. Louis Division	3:00 p. m.
Chi. and Dubuque west of Foreston	3:00 p. m.
Chi. and Burlington " " Mendota	3:00 p. m.
I. B. & W.	3 50 p. m.
Midland East	3:50 p m.
I. C. South	6:00 p. m.
Wabash East and West (night line)	7:00 p. m.
I. C. North	6:30 a. m.

Jan. 23, 1880. M. P. LITTLE, P. M.

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Decatur, Ill., 1880—d1y

Master's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

Macon County Circuit Court.

John B. Stump and James R. Ross vs. William F. Neiderriter In Chancery.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term, A. D. 1880, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Thursday, the 9th day of September, A. D. 1880,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lots eight (8) and nine (9), in block six (6), of R. H. Cassell's Addition to the city of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging, said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., Aug. 7, 1880.

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Aug 7—d3w

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Aug. 26—d&w6w

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A. T. HILL, R. H. WOODCOCK, S. C. DAVIS, Committee.

Decatur, Ill., Aug. 31, 1880. d4d w1

Executor's Notice.

Estate of ELIZA H. HOWELL, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Eliza H. Howell, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court-house in the city of Decatur, on the second Monday of October, A. D. 1880, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., Aug. 20th, A. D. 1880.

EZEKIEL C. HOWELL, Executor.

Aug. 20—d3w

While a lawyer was traveling by stage in New York with the wife and daughter of a General in the United States army the young lady said to him: "I asked pa the other day why it was that they built the front wheel of the wagon smaller than the hind wheel. He said that they built it smaller so that it would run faster than the hind wheel, to keep out of the way. Can you tell me, Mr. T.?" The lawyer stammered and blushed, and said they made it smaller so that it would run easier and it was fashionable. The old lady came to his relief by saying that it was not the province of the professional gentleman to answer questions pertaining to mechanical trades.

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Wednesday, the 1st day of September, A. D. 1880,

sell at public outcry, upon the premises below described, all the personal property belonging to said copartnership, consisting of three horses, two mules, 22 cows, 12 calves, 20 steers, 10 heifers, about 55 head of hogs, about 100 tons timothy hay, two farm wagons, one buggy, mower, feed mill, plows, harrows, harness, wood, posts, &c.; also the following described real estate:

The west half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 16; also commencing 28 rods, 7¼ links west of the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 16, thence west 11 rods, 17¾ links, north 40 rods, east 11 rods, 17¾ links, south 40 rods to beginning, except beginning 12 chains, 65 links east of quarter section corner on west line section 16; west 65 links, north 7 chains, 89 links, south, 89½ degrees east, 69 links, south 7 chains, 63 links to beginning.

Also, beginning at southwest corner of southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 17, thence north 20 chains, 10 links to northwest corner southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 17, east 13 chains, 97 links to center of Decatur & Springfield road, south 41 links, south, 75½ degrees east, 13 chains, 83 links to east line of west half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, section 17, south 15 chains, 80 links to quarter section line, west 29 chains, 67 links to beginning; also all that part of southeast quarter of the northeast quarter, and of the east half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 17, which lies south of the center line of the Decatur and Springfield road.

Also, the south half of the southeast quarter, and northwest quarter of southeast quarter; 15 acres east end north half northeast quarter of southwest quarter, section 17; also northwest quarter of northeast quarter, 15 acres west end north half of northeast quarter of northeast quarter; the east half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, and east half of west half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, section 20, all in township 16 north, range 2 east of the 3rd P. M., in Macon county, Ill., all inclosed with a good fence.

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June 29, 1880—d&wtd

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Aug. 11—d3w

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